

HONORABLE RONALD B. LEIGHTON

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF POSTAL  
SUPERVISORS BRANCH 940, et al,

Case No. C07-5649RBL

Plaintiffs,

ORDER

v.

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE,

Defendant.

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Plaintiff's Application for Temporary Restraining Order<sup>1</sup> and Motion for Preliminary Injunction [Dkt. #4]. Plaintiffs are two labor organizations who seek injunctive relief on behalf of Robert Warden, the founder of Plaintiff Association of Progressive Postal Employees of America. Warden is also Plaintiff National Association of Postal Supervisors' area representative. Robert Warden is not a named plaintiff in this action. However, Mr. Warden previously filed pro se a complaint in this district that involves several identical issues and common questions of fact. On Warden's motion, that action was transferred to the District of Oregon. In the USPS's response the defendant requests that this action also be transferred to the District of Oregon in order to conserve judicial resources and to avoid the potential for

<sup>1</sup>Plaintiff's request for a Temporary Restraining Order was effectively granted by the parties stipulation as to the briefing schedule for the motion for preliminary injunction [Dkt. #7].

1 inconsistent verdicts. This Court agrees. Therefore, this matter is hereby transferred to the United States  
2 District Court for the District of Oregon.

3 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

4 Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2007.

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7 RONALD B. LEIGHTON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE